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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Davis et al.	Assignee:	Genencor International, Inc.
Filing Date:	Herewith	Examiner:	Not Yet Assigned
Serial No.:	Unknown	Group Art Unit:	Not Yet Assigned
Title:	<b>CHEMICALLY MODIFIED PROTEINS WITH A CARBOHYDRATE MOIETY</b>		

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Please enter the following Preliminary Amendment for the above-identified patent application which is a divisional of Ser. No. 09/347,029, filed July 2, 1999, and claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/091,687, filed July 2, 1998 and U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/131,446, filed April 28, 1999.

**In the Specification:**

Please replace the paragraph beginning at 1:3 with the following rewritten paragraph:

—This application is a divisional application of Serial No. 09/347,029, filed July 2, 1999, pending, which applications claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/091,687, filed July 2, 1998, abandoned, and U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/131,446, filed April 28, 1999, abandoned.—

**In the Claims**

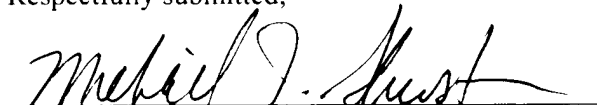
Prior to calculating the filing fee, please CANCEL Claims 11-20.

If the Examiner has any questions regarding this material, the Examiner is encouraged to Telephone Michael J. Shuster, Ph.D. at (415) 393-2651.

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